

Wilmington June 10th 1878

My Dear Mr. Eddy,

I have your card
and also a note from Mr. Red-
field enclosing Fendler's letter to
you. I shall get set No. 5th in
due season. I suppose the value
thereof to be \$7.50 which I would
 remit at once but that in a
former letter Fendler refused to make
transaction between us (state un-
settled) and a note of which may
accompany the set. If there is any-
thing of the kind I will send the
amount. I had a letter from him
of the same date and bearing as
yours. I am very sorry for this
but as you say it is his own
fault. I wrote him a few days

telling him so on a public way
and recommending him to form
the acquaintance of some persons
of sufficient influence to aid him
if necessary - which his letter from
Sir J. Forbes would enable him
to do easily. I wish he had run
more away from him when he would
have been well taken care of. But
I suppose he was afraid of his health.
I find some difficulty in
getting at specimens of certain Pap-
liae such as *B. sericea* & others. Is
the specimen of Nuttall's *B. microphylla*
in the Paris Acad. the only one in
existence? If so it is hardly suf-
ficient to found a species^m and must
need its identity with Koenig's *B.*
stipulosa somewhat doubtful. If the
same it is a pity that the latter name
cannot be kept. Dr. Selys-Longchamps

a new species, in the *Medicin* *semi-*
tr, which he calls *B. microphylla*,
but he has sent no description.

Ever truly
yours
W. M. C. C.

See your Synopsis to make *Ligustrum*
padan as advection. How it grows
in rocky woodland, &
does not look like dying.